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Re: Patent Term Extension  
Application for  
U.S. Patent No. 4,407,288

Dear Mr. Forrest:

A certificate under 35 U.S.C. § 156 is enclosed extending the term of U.S. Patent No. 4,407,288 for a period of 1,107 days from the original expiration date of the patent, December 11, 2000.<sup>1</sup>

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RE: CPI VENTAK PRx AICD System  
FDA Docket No.: 94E-0315

<sup>1</sup>The original expiration date is 20 years after the date on which the parent application for the patent was filed (December 11, 1980). 35 U.S.C. § 154(a)(2) Merck & Co. v. Kessler, 1996 WL 156630. (A patent in force on June 8, 1995 is entitled to have a restoration extension added to the longer term of either the 17 years from issuance or 20 years from filing.)

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CERTIFICATE EXTENDING PATENT TERM  
UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 156

PATENT NO. : 4,407,288  
DATED : October 4, 1983  
INVENTOR(S) : Alois A. Langer et al.  
PATENT OWNER : Mieczyslaw Mirowski

This is to certify that there has been presented to the

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an application under 35 U.S.C. § 156 for an extension of the patent term. Since it appears that the requirements of the law have been met, this certificate extends the term of the patent for the period of

1,107 DAYS

from the original expiration date of the patent, December 11, 2000, subject to the requirements of 35 U.S.C. § 41, with all rights pertaining thereto as provided by 35 U.S.C. § 156(b).



I have caused the seal of the Patent and Trademark Office to be affixed this 25th day of April 1996.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Bruce A. Lehman".

Bruce A. Lehman  
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